

## AIA-SJ ANNOUNCES WINNERS 2016 MAHATMA GANDHI ART & WRITING CONTEST

September 4, 2016

Association of Indians in America, South Jersey Chapter, is pleased to announce the top 26 contestants that participated in 2016 Mahatma Gandhi Art and Writing Contest.

AIA - SJ Executive committee would like to express great appreciation and would like to thank all the Principals, Teachers, Guidance Counselors and Students that took the time and effort to participate in this worthy cause to raise awareness on the importance of Gandhi's message on non-violence, racial harmony and peace. This year more than 2000 students from middle and high schools participated. The Executive Committee is very pleased to see the continuing interest in the Gandhian philosophy.

The top three students from Middle and High schools will be recognized in front of a live audience and will be awarded a certificate of accomplishment along with cash awards ranging from \$150 to \$300. All the top 26 will also be awarded certificate of accomplishment. We encourage and highly recommend that the students that are in the top 26 should attend the program on October 9, 2016 at 4PM.

The 2016 Mahatma Gandhi birth anniversary celebrations and award ceremony will be held at the **McDonnell Hall, between Washington Road and Stadium, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ**. Seating will be limited and preference will be given to students, teachers, principals and parents of the top 26 students below.

Please RSVP via this email or to the following AIA-SJ Executives by September 30. A. Feroz Siddiqi - [aaferoz@yahoo.com](mailto:aaferoz@yahoo.com)  
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### TOP 26 CONTESTANTS AIA-SJ 2016 MAHATMA GANDHI ART & WRITING CONTEST (Random Order, Final Ranks to be announced Sunday October 9 at Princeton University Awards Ceremony)

NAME	SCHOOL
Benjamin Feinberg Kany	Newark Academy
Molly Anne Buthorn	Thompson MS
Pariti U Sutaria	Glassboro HS
Anisha Yadlapalli	Woodrow Wilson Middle School
Annabella Rose D'Aversa	Monroe Township High School
Pablo M Loza	Freehold TS HS
Aaron Bach	VECC
Sophia Elyse Havlik	Memorial Middle School
Arly Gomez	Eastside HS
Ferdusy Akthar	Atlantic City High School
Luaren L Mcalarney	Freehold TS HS
Teddy William Diamantopoulos	Westfield High School
Ashwathi Gunashekar	Freehold TS HS
Amelia Laurel Tuchmann	Glenfield MS
Jennifer Rose Davenport	Freehold TS HS
Kyle Anthony Nosseir	Monroe Twp MS
Serena Wenrin Li	William Annin Middle School
Simon Hyunseo Yang	Horace Mann School
Gabriele Frances Miller	Long Valley Middle School
Hazel N. Shah	Morris Hills High School
Eden Quan	Heritage Middle School
Jared Michael Topf	Glenfield MS
Victoria Alineyda	Woodrow Wilson Middle School
Emily Faith Kobren	William Annin Middle School
Ruchi Biwas	Watchung Hills Road Regional High School
Kimberly Ann Koscinski	Memorial MS